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LOST.

LOST—A black and white setter dog was lost on Friday night. Finder will please leave same at John Weiler's warerooms, Fort Street. mar26

FOUND.

FOUND—On Sooke road, a mare with part of a set of harness. The owner can have the same by applying to W. Taylor, expressman, and paying expenses. mar25-1w

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TO THE TIMES ONLY.

The Guelph Murderer Cold and Indifferent—Broke His Neck.

The Jesuit Debate—Mr. Prior Inquires About Behring Sea, &c.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, March 28.—There is no abatement in the interest over the Jesuits' debate, the House being crowded during the speeches of McCarthy, Sir John and Thompson. Last evening and to-day many could not obtain admission. Mills, after routine, continued the debate and argued in favor of provincial autonomy.

In answer to Prior, Sir John Macdonald said the Government had received no official notification from the government of the United States in regard to the proclamation alleged by the public press to have been issued by the President of the United States closing Behring Sea to all but Americans. The Government did not enter its protest because they imagined it was the usual annual proclamation on that point. He had to correct the statement he made the other day to that effect. He found on inquiry that a proclamation under an act had been issued on March 2, 1889, which would hereafter require annual renewal. It applied to their own fishermen as well as ours.

THE GUELPH TRAGEDY.

The Murderer Doggedly Silent and Indifferent.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Guelph, March 28—Harvey, the triple murderer, arrived here yesterday from Toronto. The train ran past the station, where many thousands of people had congregated, to a spot near the police station, and Harvey was hurried thither. During the inquest to-day the prisoner maintained a dogged silence and never lifted his eyes from the floor. He refuses nourishment and tobacco, although he was an inveterate smoker. He is believed to be insane.

Port Perry, March 28.—While extinguishing a fire in his residence, James Ironside fell down stairs and broke his neck.

Winnipeg, March 28.—Archbishop Tache is now on his way home to St. Boniface, from Montreal, in a special car placed at his disposal by the C. P. R.

Montreal, March 28.—The Canadian Pacific net profits for February were $150,000, an increase of a hundred thousand over the same month last year.

Toronto, March 28.—W. J. McGarigle has arrived here to complete arrangements for returning to Chicago.

MUSICAL COLUMN.

The Concert Given Last Evening by the St. Andrew's Young People.

The attendance at the concert given last night by the Young People's Association of St. Andrew's Church on behalf of the building fund of the new church, was not as large as should have been, no doubt owing to the unsettled state of the weather. The entertainment, like those given by the Association throughout the winter, was most enjoyable. The first number on the programme was an overture by Messrs. Herman, Pauline, Agins, Proctor and another member of C Battery, and was very well given. At previous concerts the full band of C Battery was found to make too much music for the size of the hall, and the above arrangement was a decided improvement. Rev. Mr. Macleod followed with "characteristics of American humor." Mr. Macleod is possessed of a very considerable fund of humor himself and Yankee funnyisms did not suffer in his hands. Mr. Tiarks sang "Needles and Pins," a serio-humorous song very well, receiving an *encore* and singing "Jacks Yarn." Mrs. Brooks, Tacoma, sang "When the Heart is Young," in splendid style. She is possessed of a very fine voice of great range, rich and full, showing a vast amount of training and culture. She received a well merited *encore* and sang "A Dream." Mr. Whyte was ill and could not appear, Mr. Begg filling his place very acceptably, his voice sounding perhaps a little weak. Mr. Rhodes then sang "Six O'Clock in the Morning." This gentleman has a very fine baritone voice and knows how to use it. Mr. Rhodes did not reply to the decided *encore* given him. A violin solo by Miss Young, accompanied by Prof. Strauss was very enjoyable. Miss Young is a violinist of no mean order and gives promise of exceptional ability.

The second part began with the overture, "The Barber of Seville," by Messrs. Hermann, Pauline, etc., which was also well rendered. Miss Mathews then sang "Kathleen Mavourneen," receiving an encore, and responding with "Some Day." A recitation by Miss Hyams, entitled, "Guilty at Seven-two," gave that young lady an opportunity to exhibit her wonderful dramatic talent. The piece was rather long but most enjoyable and showed decided ability in the rendering. Mr. Lombard, one of the Victoria popular vocalists was in very good voice and sang "Oclemena." Miss Kirkpatrick was unable to appear, having a severe cold. Another solo by Mrs. Brooks (Tacoma) which was equally as enjoyable as her first brought the programme to a close. It is to be hoped that these entertainments will be continued for some time longer. The concert on the whole was a success.

NO FAVORS FOR VICTORIA.

Fire Apparatus Must be Taxed to the Full Amount.

At the beginning of this year the Fire Wardens recommended that this city should purchase an extension truck for the fire department. The price of the truck, $3,000, was considered a very large sum, and the duty added would bring the cost of the apparatus to $4,050. The Fire Wardens forwarded a letter to E. G. Prior, M. P., requesting the Customs authorities to admit the apparatus free of duty, and called their attention to the fact that a number of buildings belonging to the Dominion were protected by the city. Mr. Prior interviewed the Minister of Customs on the subject, and was informed that there was no provision in law giving power or authority to the customs department to allow articles which are made dutiable by the tariff to be admitted free.

Comox News.

Messrs Grant and Matthewson looked in on our office last night says the *Courier* and supplied us with the following news: The Union mines are working steadily and the sawmill business is booming. The sawmill was only warranted to cut 15,000 per day, but has proved that it can cut 20,000 easily and is giving great satisfaction. Mr. Grant has about finished his contract for the twenty houses at the Union mines. Mr. Matthewson is on his way to Victoria to purchase some imported stock cattle, also sheep and horses. Mr. Matthewson, in company with Messrs. Cairns, Crawford and Urquhart, owns a large tract of land known as the "Flats" which land they are intending to dyke, and otherwise protect against the inroads of the water. Mr. Matthewson expects to return in about a fortnight.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ALDERMANIC BOARD.

Meeting Held Last Evening—Business Transacted.

The regular weekly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last evening. Present, Alds. Wilson, Coughlan, Harris, Kelly, McKillican, Vigelius, Styles, Harrison and Goodacre.

Ald. Vigelius was elected to act as chairman.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From T. Tugwell regarding a defective drain near the Colonial Hotel on Johnson street.

Ald. Styles thought that the drain was on private property. All that the city could do in the matter was to order that it be properly cleaned.

On motion, referred to the Street Committee and Sanitary Committee with power to act.

From J. P. Burgess asking permission to connect with a drain on Fort street; also asking permission to remove a sidewalk from in front of 61 Fort street. Referred to the Sanitary Committee with power to act.

From W. C. Robinson, asking for the position of assistant. Received and tabled.

From W. G. Cameron calling attention to a defective drain on the east side of Birdcage walk.

Ald. Harrison explained that the bad state of this drain was the cause already of a case of typhoid. There was no use of referring the communication to the Sanitary Committee. It would only be referred by them to the Street Committee. It appeared that it required about a hundred yards of red tape before anything was done. He moved that the communication be referred to the Street Committee with power to act. Motion carried.

From Charles Wilson concerning the acceptance by the city of a street proposed to be opened through the property of Mr. J. C. Prevost.

Ald. Harrison moved that the communication be laid on the table for one week for further consideration.

Clerk Dowler said he referred the matter to the Mayor and was informed that the Council must accept the streets handed over before the passage of the by-law.

Ald. Harrison said he did not hear anything said which would justify them in thinking that the matter would be reconsidered. He hoped it would be brought up again because it would perhaps give the people interested a chance to have the streets accepted. It was wrong to allow the owners of property to have these streets closed because they were not of the required width. If the streets were not accepted before the by-law passed the city had a right to take them over and open them for the convenience of property owners.

The communication was received and filed.

From John Jessop, calling attention to an unpaid account due by the old Mechanics' Institute for gas amounting to $18. Ald. McKillican moved that the account be referred to the Finance Committee to be paid if found correct. Seconded by Ald. Harrison. Carried.

From Alex. Munro on behalf of the H. B. Co., for payment of the amount due for right of way through their property at the North Dairy. Referred to Water and finance committees to be paid if found correct.

From R. B. McMicking, stating that three armatures at the electric light station burned out and were attended to. Received and filed.

From J. W. Sinclair, calling attention to a defective drain at the corner of Menzies and Niagara streets. Referred to the Street Committee.

From the San Francisco Bridge Company, enclosing plans and specifications for Rock Bay Bridge.

Ald. Harrison considered that the letters regarding the plans and specifications should not be read until after opening the tenders of the other contractors.

The Council adjourned for half an hour to receive and open the tenders for Rock Bay Bridge.

The Board re-assembled at 9:30 p. m. and proceeded with the regular business.

Ald. Harrison moved the second reading of the officers remuneration by-law.

Ald. Wilson said he objected to raising Mr. Jamieson's salary. The Alderman said he was one who placed Mr. Jamieson in the position and he considered that $65 a month was enough without raising the salary to $75.

The by-law was passed.

The report of the Street Committee was received and adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS

Ald. McKillican said the number of men to assist in cleaning the city drains was inadequate.

Ald. Harrison as chairman of the Sanitary Committee considered that two or three more men should be engaged to keep the open drains clean.

Ald. Coughlan said the Sanitary Committee need not apply to the Council when more men are required. They need only look to keeping the expenditure below the estimated expenditure for the year.

The chairman said the Sanitary Committee were empowered to have all the men necessary to keep the drains clean. During the warm weather the drains should be kept in proper condition.

Ald. McKillican said he hoped the Street Committee would attend to a drain on Government street near Mr. Rockett's property.

The chairman of the Street Committee said the matter would be attended to as soon as possible.

Ald. Styles referred to a proposition which was made several years ago to cut Churchway through from Blanchard to Maclure street. The owners of the property are willing to give the land provided the Council would make the street.

The Clerk was instructed to find the letter written by the owners of the land on the street some years ago.

A petition from Morris Moss and 31 residents of North Park street, asking for a box drain was read and referred to the Street Committee.

The Board adjourned until 7:30 o'clock this evening when the contract will be awarded for the new bridge across Rock Bay.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C.)

George Beveridge *alias* Dan Apples, stood in the dock this morning on another charge of drinking a large quantity of beverage known as cider.

Officer Thomas swore to the truth of the information, and when the defendant, Mr. Apples, was asked what he had to say he answered, "Oh, I am guilty."

His Honor said the man has been before the court on several occasions, and it would be necessary to inflict a sentence of imprisonment for two months.

Harriet Spaulding, a well dressed woman, was charged by officer Haughton with being found in a state of intoxication on Wharf street.

Supt. Sheppard said the woman was fined $25 in January last for being in a house of ill-fame.

Officer Haughton said the woman was using very disgusting language on the streets.

The irate female was fined $10, and as she left the court she made a number of comments on the way she was treated.

C. Nicholas was charged with assaulting his wife.

Mr. Langley, from Drake, Jackson and Helmcken's office, asked for a remand until Saturday which was granted.

FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

Labouchere's London Cable—Gossip About Royal Personages.

Reported Duel Between Rudolph's Friends—Merchant Suicides.

By Postal Telegraph.)

New York, March 28.—Labouchere's London cable to the *World* says: I hear that pending action for breach of promise between Miss Phillis Broughton, of burlesque fame, and Viscount Dougban, has been compromised, the lady having accepted $50,000 in full satisfaction of all claims including costs up to date, with a declaration that she was in no way to blame for the rupture of the engagement.

There is to be a great gathering of the Orleans family at Sheen House, May 30th, when the Compte and Comptesse de Paris will celebrate their silver wedding. The Duc D'Orleans, eldest son of the Compte de Paris is now on his way home from India. There is a strong desire in Orleanist circles that he should marry Princess Clementine, youngest daughter of the King of the Belgians.

The third and fourth drawing room of the season will be held at the Buckingham Palace by the Queen on Tuesday, May 14th and Thursday, the 16th. The hereditary Prince of Hohenlohe, Langenburg, is certainly not a good match for the daughter of the Prince of Wales, as he is merely a mediatized prince with no son nor very large possessions.

Lord Salisbury must shudder at the notion of this betrothal for he has pledged himself to the Prince of Wales to ask the House of Commons for a provision for any child of H. R. H. who is about marrying, as he well knows the *furore* which any such applications will produce.

My Paris correspondent writes: "I met at the Elysee a friend who had just arrived from Pesth. He told me that the Emperor Francis Joseph has become an old man bowed down with snowy head, mustache and whiskers.

The Empress shone heroically for some weeks against the misfortune that came upon them both, but beginning to collapse she was ordered to Corfu. She has refused, however, to leave the Emperor, whose moral energy is not equal to hers, but she must go soon to place herself again under Dr. Metzger, for she is threatened with a kind of paralysis that proceeds from hardening of the cords of the spine.

Edinburgh, March 28.—Hon. Patrick Fraser, Judge of the Outer House High Court of Justice of Scotland, is dead.

SEQUEL TO PRINCE RUDOLPH'S DEATH.

Paris, March 28.—Later reports of the duel between Count Herris, a friend of Prince Rudolph and Count Baetizze, uncle of the Baroness Vitcara, assert that the latter was shot through the heart and died before he could be removed from the field. Inquiries at the Austrian embassy fail to elicit any information in regard to the affair, reports of which require confirmation. The story has had the effect of intensifying the mystery of the double suicide at Meyerling and gossip is busy with the subject in the columns of the morning journals.

THE TEAM RETURNING.

Queenstown, March 28.—The American baseball teams sailed for New York today on the White Star steamer Adriatic. Thousands of friends gathered on the quay and in the streets to see them depart. There was great cheering and hearty farewells were shouted as they went aboard the steamer, as the latter steamed out to the Adriatic. The players were all in good health and spirits and are delighted with the warm reception in Ireland.

BRIGHT'S DEATH.

London, March 27—Joseph Chamberlain addressed a note to William Henry Hurlbert to-day, in which he said: "By John Bright's death we have lost a most unique figure among English statesmen, and one of the most popular leaders of the present generation. The consistency and completeness of his career, and the massive simplicity of his character, mark him out from all others now living, and having fought his last fight, he is a universal loss to both his party and his country." Mr. Hurlbert, in an interview this evening, said: "What Chamberlain says will apply also to America. As a genuine free trader, Bright was a friend to America. When General Simon Cameron, the only survivor of Lincoln's cabinet, visited England, he was eager to meet Mr. Bright. I asked Mr. Bright to dine with Cameron and he replied: "Certainly; perhaps we may bring him to a better state of mind. Although I abhor your American protection, I shall be glad to meet a man who helped Lincoln to save the Union against slavery."

The celebrated sculptor, Bruce Joy, took a plaster cast of the face of John Bright this afternoon. Meetings of sympathy were held throughout the country this evening. It was said no greater power than Bright has ever adorned political life in England.

United Ireland in its obituary notice of John Bright says: "Ireland forgets her grievances against him at the open grave, and remembers only his priceless services of the old days. The real John Bright died three years ago."

LUMBER YARD BURNED.

London, March 28.—The Baltic Lumber Yard, near Buckingham Palace, was burned to-day. Several firemen were injured by the falling of a huge pile of lumber. Damage, £60,000.

A MERCHANT PRINCE SUICIDES.

Antwerp, March 28.—Ferdinand Vandertailen, a merchant prince of Antwerp, suicided yesterday, owing to the failure of several firms allied to his business house. Society is greatly shocked, as Vandertailen was a very prominent man, was a leader of liberal thought and often called the "John Bright of Belgium." The liabilities of the firms which failed will, it is thought, be colossal.

ARISTOCRATIC BANKRUPT.

London, March 28.—Lord Mandeville was to-day pronounced a bankrupt by the Bankruptcy Court. The Court also decided to begin a criminal prosecution against Mandeville, because of false affidavits made by him.

MINISTER TO WASHINGTON.

London, March 28.—It is given out here to-day that Sir Julian Pauncefote, Minister to Washington, will remain but a short time at the American capital. He will return home after a few months and will be sent to either Madrid or Rome. Sir John A. Macdonald, the Canadian Premier, will then resign his position and take Sir Julian's place at Washington and Sir Charles Tupper will become premier.

Common Sense.

Wannamaker, Postmaster-General of the United States, takes a very common sense view of the "offensive partisanship" business. In response to a member of Congress who wanted to know how "offensive partisanship" would effect postmasters, Wannamaker replied that he did not regard it sufficient cause for removal. Some other cause had to be given for removing offensive partisans from postmasterships.

SPORTING NEWS.

Baseball in England—Another Six Day Race—Walking Matches.

The American baseball players did not attract as much attention at Manchester as at Glasgow. The weather was the brightest yet enjoyed in England. The sun shone pleasantly and the air was brisk. The players were extremely anxious to make a good impression, as it is one of the foremost cricketing sections of England. They played on the old Trafford cricket ground and declared it the finest in England. The ground was favorable for sliding to bases, being smooth and level. The features of the game were brilliant catches made by Fogarty, Daly and Wood, and the base-running of Hanlon, Manning and Fogarty. Of the seven errors made by the All-Americas four were made by Crane at short.

The Amity base ball club held a meeting last evening and elected the following officers: John F. Fee, President; T. H. Baker, Manager; William Duck, Secretary-Treasurer. The new by-laws and constitution were passed and a communication was forwarded to the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society informing them that the club would play on their grounds.

A twenty-four-hour go-as-you-please race will commence April 2nd, in Sacramento, and continue four hours each day for six days. Moore, Howarth, Vint, Crozier, Geo Brown, Watson, Peterson, and Oofty Goofty will enter.

Another six day go-as-you-please race will be started in the Mechanics' Pavillion on May 9th by Manager Frank Hall.

WRESTLING.

Peter Schumacher, of Seattle, who recently defeated Faulkner, of San Francisco, twice in wrestling match in Seattle, has made a match with Pietro Arena, who claims to be the champion of Italy, for $500 a side, to take place in Seattle on Saturday, March 30th. The match will be Greco-Roman, best two in three. Arena recently made a draw in a contest with Duncan C. Ross at Texarkana. Cameron will likely go over to see the contest and will try and make a match on with the winner.

THE 24TH MAY REGATTA.

EDITOR TIMES,—Seeing by this morning's *Colonist* that in regard to the Tacoma regatta, it had been decided to secure the professional oarsmen from 'Frisco (with whom Mayor Grant has already been in correspondence) to take part in a regatta to be held in Tacoma on May 18th—evidently a piece of would-be smart management at the expense of Victoria friends. But there are more ways than one to cook that fish. The question asked by Mr. Hamm was whether $1000 would be given if they came to Victoria for a race, and being then in 'Frisco and proposing to start from there to come here on condition that that sum was forthcoming, and as I understand it, should any of the men mentioned take part in any regatta in these northern waters prior to the 24th of May at Victoria, I consider the Mayor and committee entirely exonerated from all bargain or promise made to them, and that the onus of bad faith fall on their own shoulders, for one thing is positive, our own regatta has always been a success without any professional help from abroad and this year we are almost certain of having a large naval flotilla on the 24th of May. To think of getting a set of men to come from Tacoma to divvy $1000 among themselves would be madness, because I have no doubt if there is a regatta on the 18th May at Tacoma cheap travel will enable any wishing to see the celebrated oarsmen and give them a view of Tacoma, and that at Tacoma's expense (not Victoria's) viz., Tacoma giving the needful $1000 to bring the men from 'Frisco' But at the same time I would suggest that the committee have a good prize offered for a professional shell race, say first prize $100, second $50, and you may rely upon it those same gentlemen will not stop in Tacoma on the 24th and miss the chance of getting even so small a sum as $100 or $50, and that would fill the bill just as well or better, for it is more than likely the $1000 will be arranged in equal proportions long ere they arrive here. But for the matter of a snap $100 the chances are all would strive to win and trust to Providence or ill luck attending their opponent.

ONE THAT'S BEEN THERE.

FOOTBALL MATCH.

The Nanaimo Rovers and the Comox Club met yesterday at the small swamp on Albert street, above the railway track, and played a hard and fast game before 300 or 400 people. The game was won by the Rovers by one goal and three tries to nothing. Edward Potts played well as full-back for the home team, and Hawthornthwaite, Langley, Evans and Dixon a hard game throughout. The Comox boys played well and when they have had more practice will play together better, and next time they meet the Rovers will be tougher opponents. Harvey, the full-back for Comox, had the misfortune to severely injure his knee.

SAFE CRACKERS

Arrested at Snohomish—Gold Bills in Their Hat Bands.

Snohomish, March 26.—Last night the grocery store of M. W. Packard & Son was entered by burglars, who robbed the safe of $500 in coin, together with notes and mortgages amounting by estimate to $300—$800 in all. Entrance was made through a side door. The safe was exploded with powder, a small hole being drilled through the door and plate just left of the combination. Sacks of grain, seed, etc., were piled against the safe to deaden the explosion. The door was blown entirely off, the front plate lying on the floor. It is supposed the work was done about midnight. The safe was one of Hall & Co.'s. The burglars took a small burglar-proof safe with them. The authorities were informed and Officer Brown and Marshal Paul inspected the passengers on this morning's train, Brown going to Gilman and returning at noon. Marshal Paul started on the 8:10 train, and found the burglars one mile beyond the West Coast junction. The marshal proceeded on foot from the junction. Meeting a farmer, he inquired if he had met three men of rough character. Receiving an affirmative answer, Marshal Paul hurried on about half a mile and found three men asleep in a hollow. Before Paul approached near, they arose and began washing and preparing a breakfast of groceries recognized as those stolen from the store. When covered by the officer, the men began to hide things. Gold and bills were found tucked inside their hat-bands and in their boots. Notes and mortgages, identified by Packard & Son, were found on their persons. Marshal Paul took the men to the junction and telegraphed here to Sheriff Tompkins to meet him at the 6:10 train this evening, which was done. The marshal arrived with the men.

The prisoners are swarthy, low, heavy set men, with dark mustaches. One has lost an eye. It is not determined how much was recovered, but probably one-half. The prisoners were lodged in jail to-night, and will have a preliminary trial to-morrow.

Cutlery.

M. & H. A. Fox have just received direct from Sheffield a large stock of table and pocket cutlery, scissors, etc. Shaving outfits a specialty. Call and examine at 78 Government street.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES

The Great Weavers' Strike Ended—The Minister to England.

Train Accident—Railway Consolidation—Child Abducted.

By Postal Telegraph.]

Washington, March 27.—Robert Lincoln has been appointed Minister to England.

Chicago, March 27.—The *Tribune* (Rep.) commenting on Robert Lincoln's nomination as Minister to England, says he possesses, in a large measure, the unostentation, good judgment and strong common sense and tact of his father, and we believe he will win his spurs in diplomacy with brilliant success.

The *Inter-Ocean* (Rep.) says: The nomination is a just recognition of the fact that throughout the country there is a general feeling that so worthy a son of so illustrious a father deserves a warm place in every patriotic heart.

The Chicago *News* (Ind. Rep.) believes that Mr. Lincoln is thoroughly competent to discharge acceptably the duties of the mission.

The *Herald* (Dem.) says: "Mr. Lincoln goes to fill a fill a place such as was entrusted to the Adams, Franklins and Jeffersons when the Republic was feeble. The idea must be that in its might this nation needs a lower type of ability."

The *Globe* (Dem.) says: "He was appointed solely because he was the son of his father."

PROMINENT MEN DEAD.

Albany, N. Y., March 28.—Dr. John Swenburn, ex-Mayor of this city, ex-Congressman and ex-health officer of the port of New York, died this morning, aged 69 years.

RESUMPTION OF WORK.

Fall River, Mass, March 28.—All the mills are running this morning, except the American Linen Mills, nearly all with a full complement of weavers. The linen mills were not ready to start up on account of the incompleteness of some repairs to the machinery. It is expected they will be ready to start to-morrow. At nearly all the mills the weavers were gladly welcomed this morning, and were given their old looms. Some exceptions, which caused considerable unpleasantness, occurred at the Pocasset Mill. About fifty weavers working on fancy goods before the strike, were told this morning their places had been filled, and that if they wanted work on print cloth looms they could have it. They refused and all stayed out, and went over to the weavers' hall. They say on the looms offered them they would earn a dollar and a half a week less than on fancy goods, and did not care to go back under a cut down. They will hold a meeting this afternoon. At Osborne's mill No. 2 about forty-five old weavers refused to work. At some other mills individual cases were reported. All these cases will be considered by the weavers' committee at a meeting to-night. There is a growing fear that some of those who have been most active in conducting the strike may be black listed.

FIGHTING FOR A MINE.

San Diego, March 28.—A report from the Santa Clara mining camp says that a quartz mine with free gold is held by armed Mexicans whose rights are disputed by American prospectors, and bloodshed is likely to result. Mexican troops are hastening to the scene.

FLOUR FOR THE SUFFERERS.

San Francisco, March 28.—The steamer City of Peking which sailed for Hongkong to-day carried among her cargo 50 tons of flour sent by Sperry & Co., of Stockton, to the sufferers in Northern China. The flour is transported gratis.

RAILWAY CONSOLIDATION.

New York, March 28.—At a meeting of the directors of the Chicago, Cincinnati Cleveland & Indianapolis Railway Company yesterday it was voted to consolidate with the Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Paul & Chicago. The latter company voted to the same effect on March 19th. The new company will be known as the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad. The capital is $10,000,000 preferred stock and $20,500,000 of common stock. The consolidation is acknowledged by railroad men to be the most important in many years.

TRAIN ACCIDENT IN CALIFORNIA.

Fresno, Cala., March 28.—Two freight trains collided in a dense fog at Muscatel, seven miles north of here at 6:30 this morning. The engineers and one fireman saved themselves by jumping. The other fireman was caught in his cab by a freight car climbing over him; but miraculously escaped with only a few scratches. Three cars were dashed to pieces and several others badly wrecked. Under one of the cars a bundle of blankets can be seen, and it is believed to be the mangled remains of some tramp imprisoned there. Wm. O. Viney, a young man from Bloomington, Illinois, was one of the injured in the wreck.

RICH CHILD ABDUCTED.

Chicago, March 28.—Arthur Kruschenski, fourteen years of age, heir to eighty thousand dollars, has been missing since yesterday morning, when he left his home for school. It is believed he has been abducted and held for ransom.

OLD MINER KILLED.

Helena, Mo., March 28.—Samuel Lunnell, an old time miner, was killed last night by the mine caving on him. Lunnell was the owner of some valuable mines and was supposed to be worth about a quarter of a million dollars.

SEVERE PUNISHMENT.

San Francisco, March 28.—Frank G. Lewis and P. Taylor, middle aged men, convicted of stealing a bar of iron worth thirty-five cents, from a car shop, were sentenced respectively to three and two and a half years in the States prison, this morning.

LULU ISLAND.

Temperance Lodge Formed—Rifle Match—Farming, Etc.

From our own Correspondent.)

The weather has been very fine of late and farmers are busy preparing the soil for the seed.

A temperance lodge of the I. O. G. T. was organized at the South Arm on the 20th inst., there being thirteen of a membership enrolled, amongst whom are to be found Mr. T. Kidd, Reeve, and J. Blair, Councilman of our municipality, Mr. O. D. Sweet, Lodge Deputy, and about fifteen others from Richmond Lodge of the North Arm performed the mystic ceremony and the name selected was "Lulu," which meets every two weeks on Thursday evening. The following are the officers for the present term: Thos. Kidd, Chief Templar; W. Sandbach, P.C. T.; J. Blair, L. D.; G. Blake, Sec.; J. Steeres, Assist. Sec.; Y. W. Pearson, Treas.; J. McKay, F. S.; A. Wescott, V. T.; G. Smith, Chaplain; W. Blair, Marshall; J. Smith, Assist.; Roderick McKay, Guard; J. R. Wescott, Sentinel.

A rifle match between six picked men from the North Arm Rifle Club and the same number from Vancouver, took place on Sea Island on Saturday last, which resulted in the North Arm defeating the Vancouverites by 37 points, the ranges being 100, 150 and 200 yards.

The Daily Times.
PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

NEWSPAPERS AND LIBELS.

In respect to the law of libel as it stands, we have always felt and do still, that if other journals can stand it so can we. Still, at the same time, we are of the opinion that the law treating of libel in this province is an unjust one, that it is a survival of a bygone age, that it presumes too much, that instead of being an efficient instrument of justice it may be made to operate as a gag and as a means of extortion. Men unacquainted with journalism and the laws which control it, entirely misapprehend the governing motives of its management. The public forgets that the oracular function assumed by the newspaper is governed by conditions as rigid as those which pertain to any other business. The newspaper, in fact, while it professes to lead must be careful of stepping on the public's toes. The newspaper indeed embodies a private and public concern, and so soon as its editor begins to indite an article for publication, he has to take into consideration its marketable as well as its public value. Does this thing, he asks, conserve our business interest as well as the public interest. The newspaper in fine must be so conducted as to win general approbation, and at the same time exert a definite moral force. In one sense it is regulated by the laws that govern trade, in another sense by the laws which govern the public teacher. Conducted on pure business principles a newspaper loses moral force and becomes a mere advertising machine. But the conditions which govern journalism admit of no parallel with any of the avocations save that of the public man, and in this respect it has a constituency as a hundred to one. The public man is the oracle of hundreds, the newspaper that of thousands. The newspaper in fact which pretends to discuss leading questions incurs a tremendous moral responsibility. Now, if we consider that the newspaper embodies a dual function, with business considerations to effect it here and moral responsibilities to effect it there, we have two very cogent reasons why malice of all things can play no part in the utterance of alleged libel. The use of it is damaging to business and destructive to influence, But to come down to the pith of the thing as showing the absurdity of the existing libel law, how can malice exist without cause? How is it possible for a newspaper to be actuated by malicious motives toward an utter stranger? Besides, can a statement copied from another paper possess the element of malice, and particularly if it have reference to a stranger, by reputation at that. If malice can be presumed under such circumstances, then malice is the natural condition of man, an element in his nature outweighing business and moral considerations. The presumption of malice, as our law puts it, is a monstrous libel on human nature, a relic of barbarism, a disgrace to the common sense of the nineteenth century. Newspapers do not ask for unlimited latitude of speech. They recognize that a check should be put on them, for in journalism as in other vocations, there are intemperate men. That malice, however, is the primary cause of libel among reputable journals is the grossest of errors, and an utter misconception of the governing rules of journalism.

THE "TIMES" AND CRIME.

Our latest dispatches relative to the Times-Parnell fiasco afford interesting reading, but they are not very edifying nor calculated to enhance optimism. PIGOTT, it seems, disclosed the fact to SOAMES, counsel for the Times, that he was afraid to submit to cross-examination. This information, which was given to SOAMES in the shape of letters, was withheld from both counsel and solicitor for the defense, nor did they know that these letters existed until after PIGOTT had decamped, Attorney General WEBSTER says he believes that he handed to Sir CHAS. RUSSELL these letters five days before PIGOTT' examination, but that to verify his memory he would have to consult his short hand notes. Sir CHARLES RUSSELL, however, relieves the Attorney General of the necessity of referring to his short hand notes, by saying in the Commons that he (WEBSTER) did not give him the letters five days before PIGOTT decamped, and further that the facts of the case were a complete surprise to him and his colleagues. He did not impute dishonorable conduct to the Attorney General, but he thought that WEBSTER "had been led off by the political character of the case into a course of conduct which otherwise he would not have pursued." These revelations grate on the ears of honest men, whether they sympathize with PARNELL or not. They indicate a condition of political morality which stamp this century as no better than the ones that preceded it. *But* we need not trouble ourselves with drawing comparisons between the past and the present. These are overshadowed by the suspicion that the TIMES' people were not so badly duped as they would lead the public to suppose. We may not call the thing a conspiracy, but the TIMES' people unquestionably too willingly grasped at straws of evidence which should have been discarded with disgust and were seconded by the Government. Suppose after making these disclosures to the Times, PIGOTT's nerve had sustained him through the ordeal of cross-examination, and, as many a perjurer before him, had succeeded in establishing a doubt which if not actually condemning PARNELL, had all the moral effect of a conviction. Honest men stand aghast at the turpitude the Times would have been guilty of, and we may well say that the escape of PARNELL from the toils these letters had thrown around him looks very much like the interposition of Providence. Political rancour could go no farther, and we are made to see in it upon what small things mighty events hinge. But while we can find no language strong enough to condemn the machinations which so nearly ruined the prospects of an individual, and we may say a nation, the fact of the Tories showing no contrition of spirit is a bad angury, and is confirmatory of, it having been their intention to kill Parnellism, if hard swearing could do it. We have little or no sympathy for O'BRIEN's brawling patriotism, but there is a good deal to deprecate in the spirit which prompted SALISBURY's remark of "tragic nudity." SALISBURY defiantly says he is going to hold on to the Government for three years longer. Plucky indeed, is this Tory chief, but he is making a bed for himself we imagine, which he will find very uncomfortable to lie in.

FREQUENT ELECTIONS.

The system of frequent elections employed in the States has called forth considerable criticism, not alone as a feature of expense but as keeping the public mind in a continual ferment. In the States, congressmen are elected every two years; in England Parliament may sit seven years, although the average duration of a Parliament is probably not over four years. Seven years is a long time. It is possible for questions of public policy to spring up during that period of which there may be a wide difference of opinion between the people and Parliament. It is tolerably clear to all observers that public opinion has greatly changed in England since the last election, and yet notwithstanding it is possible for the SALISBURY Government to remain in power for three years to come. Whatever may be the desire of the people, SALISBURY, so long as he can retain a majority in Parliament, may continue to administer the affairs of England after his own liking. If Parliamentary elections were held oftener than seven years this would be impossible, and the will of the people would be made more quickly operative. SALISBURY has a constitutional right to hold on until 1893, and yet it is clear that he represents but a minority only, a condition directly opposed to a popular form of government. SALISBURY may rule during the next three years quite satisfactorily, but the fact of his continuance in power, with a majority of the people opposed to him, is an anomaly, and might under certain circumstances lead to disastrous consequences.

ROTTEN SHIPS.

Mr. PLIMSOLL is to the front again in an article entitled "Twelve millions per annum wasted at Sea," the object being to show that the loss of so much money, and of valuable lives is due to the laxity of marine insurance. Ships freighted for India insure both ways, that is the anticipated homeward bound cargo is insured as well as the outward bound, so that from the moment a ship sails from England and is lost, the owner secures both sums without deduction being made for wages, dock charges, etc. It is an easy thing, says the writer, to keep a "rotten ship afloat, to man her poorly, and to neglect necessary repairs, and it is difficult in any of these cases to prove criminal intent." It would be supposed that the underwriters would put a stop to such things, but it is said that the risk they run is small, as losses are made up by increased premiums. So long as this condition of affairs last wrecks will be common. The indifference of underwriters puts a premium on crime, and in a sense, in fact, renders them accessories. The remedy, says PLIMSOLL, lies with honest ship owners and with the seamen themselves.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The financial returns of the Province of Nova Scotia submitted to the Legislature show the gross income to be $712,951.49. Of this sum the Dominion of Canada contributes in subsidies and special payments no less than $504,382.32. Mines contribute $151,308.72; Crown lands, $14,258.15; the remainder being made up of small items of revenue, premiums, etc. Expenditures were, for education, $212,000; roads and bridges, $113,829.44; the balance being pretty evenly distributed between interest, local works, legislative expenses, steamboat subsidies, hospitals, salaries, agriculture, etc., etc. The surplus at the close of the year was only $18,982.

Sir Adolphe Caron was asked if the Government proposes to do anything toward the defence of Vancouver and replied that the Imperial Government had it under consideration. The Vancouver journals have had the fortification gripes for some time past. It is doubtful if they ever allude to C Barracks without mention as a sort of refrain Vancouver must be fortified. One is reminded of Cato who always ended his speech with "Carthage must be destroyed." These journalistic Cato's know not of what they speak when they talk of fortifying Vancouver. How to fortify effectually against iron clads is an undetermined problem among military men. England herself is defenceless in point of fortifications. Our contemporaries should be careful, very careful, how they talk about fortifying, lest the Government should suddenly become alarmed and destroy the sylvan beauty of Stanley Park by clearing ground for batteries.

Referring to the proposed Canadian Western Central railway the Calgary Tribune says—"The line is to be chartered by the Dominion Government and will have to be built over the proposed route which was originally selected for the Canadian Pacific although further to the north than the line finally adopted. It is generally admitted to be the least expensive and best in many ways. At the inception of the incorporation of the C. P. R. it was little expected, that the traffic would in many years reach the proportions it assumes to-day, and enterprising capitalists are fully aware that the above undertaking is not half the venture that was undergone by the Canadian Pacific company. It would be difficult to point out a single objection to this most feasible object. Nor is the Tribune at all visionary in predicting that this new projected transcontinental road will be a realization inside of a very few years. The country is rapidly developing and can accommodate all the Pacific roads capitalists see fit to construct. There is nothing small about Canada, and railway men will find plenty of scope for the extension of their lines. We need railroads and the people will throw no obstacles in the way of their construction."

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—"Very far fetched"—Ottar of roses.

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—Not good dates to eat—Those on the calendar.

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—When not to cut up capers—Eating boiled mutton.

—Housekeepers should bear in mind that John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street, has the largest stock and best variety of carpets, wall paper, furniture, etc., in the Province, and his prices are as low as the lowest. *

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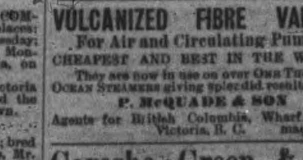

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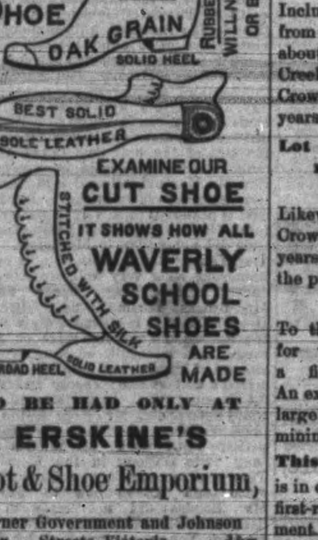

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TENDERS

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Saturday, 6th day of April, 1889,

For the purchase of the following properties:

Lot 1. The Flour Mill and Machinery, Store, Dwelling House and Outbuildings

Situate at the mouth of Bonaparte river opposite to Ashcroft station on the C. P. R., and distant therefrom about one mile and a half.

The mill is in good running order and has ample water power and valuable water privileges.

The Store and Mill

contain a Stock of Goods, Agricultural Implements, Wagons, Buggy, Harness, etc., inventories of which can be seen on the premises, at the office of the Inland Sentinel and the offices of either of the receivers.

Separate tenders are invited for the purchase of the goods in Mill and Store, and for the remainder of Lot 1.

Lot 2. A lease of three miles on Lightning Creek

Including all the unoccupied ground from the old town of Van Winkle to about ¼ of a mile below Anderson Creek held under a lease from the Crown for an unexpired term of years at an annual rent of $100.00.

Lot 3. A lease of one square mile of mining ground on Horsefly Creek

Likewise held by lease from the Crown for an unexpired term of 5½ years at an annual rent of $100, with the priviledge of renewal.

In addition

To the usual machinery necessary for working the claim there is a first class steam saw mill An exceptionally powerful pump. A large stock of goods, provisions, mining tools and other necessaries.

This valuable mining property is in capital working order and is a first-rate chance for a mining investment.

Separate Tenders

Are invited for the purchase of Horsefly claim, or for working the same upon shares.

Full particulars can be obtained and inventories can be seen at the office of either of the undersigned.

Terms cash. Deeds of sale at buyers expense.

JAS. C. PREVOST,
H. S. MASON,
Receivers of Harper's estate.
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MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after this date the provisions of Section 5, of the By-law No. 145, will be strictly enforced, which reads as follows:

"No person shall suffer his Horse, Ass, Mule, Cow, Cattle, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Goose or Dog (except a dog registered as hereinafter mentioned) to run at large within the limits of the city." By order

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER
City Hall, March 22nd, 1889. C. M. C.
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NOTICE.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Stroud L. Redgrave and Fred W. Ells, carrying on business as manufacturing confectioners under the name and style of Redgrave & Ells, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated March 4th, 1889.

In regard to the above, I beg to inform the public generally that I have this day purchased the interest of Mr. Ells and will continue the business on my own account, and will assume all the liabilities of the late firm and all accounts due the late firm must be paid to me.

(Signed) Stroud L. Redgrave.
Witness T. R. Ells.
Victoria, March 4th, 1889. mar4-td

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN'S

CAST-OFF -:- CLOTHING

Bought and Sold.

Mrs. G. KNIGHT,

88 Johnson Street, two doors from Broad Street.

Blankets, Beds, Carpets, &c., bought. m15-1m

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED.

THE FIRM OF J. ISAACS & CO., DOING business at the Indian Bazaar, No. 43, Johnson Street, has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. J. Isaacs retiring from the business.

Hereafter the business will be carried on by John J. Hart & Co., who assumes all liabilities and collect all debts due the late firm.

March 1st, 1889. m1

TENDERS WANTED.

TO CLEAR LAND, About 4 or 5 acres, on Esquimalt Road. Apply for further information at THE TIMES Office. m16-tf

NO BOOM

But Genuine Sales in James Bay Property!

Now is the time to purchase

Choice Residential Property!

Grand view of the Olympic Mountains and Straits of Juan De Fuca, close to Beacon Hill Park. Good Elevation, Wide Streets. Half Acre and Acre Sections on

Dallas Road and Menzies Street!

FIRST COME FIRST SERVED. TERMS EASY.

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.,

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

NEXT TO POODLE DOG RESTAURANT, YATES STREET.

Open from 7:30 to 9 p. m., for the convenience of those whose business require their attention during the day.

Constance Cove Farm---Acre Lots for Sale.

Most desirable Residence Lots, situate on Craigflower Road, commanding a full view of Victoria Arm. Full supply of water from the Esquimalt Water Works. Terms—One-fourth cash, balance on time. Apply at once to.

F. G. Richards, Jr.,
feb8 Real Estate Agent, No. 51 Yates street.

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CARPETS, Beautiful New Designs.
WALLPAPERS, Magnificent Colorings.
FURNITURE, in Endless Variety.

ALSO A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF

China Dinner, Tea and Breakfast Services. Baby Buggies, with Wire and Wooden Wheels, and the Largest Assortment of House Furnishing Goods in the Province. Come and see them.

JOHN WEILER, 51 to 55 Fort Street.

FACTORY--HUMBOLDT STREET.

Hay, Bran, Oats and Mill Feed.

LARGEST STOCK IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Free Delivery to any Part of the City.

Sole Agents for Starr & Co.'s California Flour.

BRACKMAN & KER,

150 GOVERNMENT ST.

Mills at North Saanich. feb 13

BRITISH COLUMBIA

LAND AND INVESTMENT AGENCY

(LIMITED).

THOMAS ALLSOP,
HENRY S. MASON, } DIRECTORS.
CUYLER A. HOLLAND,

Head Office: 15, Sergeant's Inn, Fleet Street, London, England.

The business of ALLSOP & MASON has been merged in the above Company and will be carried on by the Company from this date as a General Land Investment and Insurance Agency.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE AT LOW RATES. Town Lots and Farming Lands for sale on easy terms. my17 D&W

—THE—

Vancouver City Foundry and Machine Works

COMPANY (LIMITED),

Begs to inform the citizens of Victoria and public generally, that all orders for Castings, Boilers or other work in their line, will not only meet with prompt attention, but that in addition to reasonable rates (including free delivery in Victoria), they are also prepared to guarantee their work as equal, if not superior, to any to be had elsewhere in the Province. Having appointed ANDREW GRAY, Esq., (Victoria Machinery Depot) as their Agent in Victoria, with full power and authority to quote prices, receive orders and enter into contracts in their name. All parties desirous of further information are respectfully requested to apply to him on the subject.

nov20-6m R. P. COOKE, President.

COMPLETE REVOLUTION

IN

Monumental Work

Drawings and testimonials may be seen at the Office of the Agents for Victoria.

M. C. & R. WALKER,

nov20 D&W 6m Spencer's Arcade

H. G. WATERSON,

Job Printer,

Over R. Jamieson's Book store, Government street.

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DOGS AT LARGE.

THE PUBLIC ARE REQUESTED to take notice that all dogs found at large within the city limits after this date without the Corporation Tag for the current year will be impounded and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the pound by-law.

Dog Tags can be obtained on application at the City Hall. By order

CHAS. KENT,
Victoria, March 20, 1889. Collector
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MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT $200.00 is offered for the best LANDSCAPE DESIGN for the embellishment of BEACON HILL PARK, taking into consideration the present improvements. All designs proffered to be endorsed Landscape, and to be received not later than 10th April next at 4 p. m., at the office of the undersigned.

The Council reserve the right not to accept any design. By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
March 16, 1889. C. M. C.

Estate of Thomas Thompson, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having any claims against the said estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to

JAMES C. PREVOST,
jan10 Administrator.

OVEN BUILDING

Range Setting, Grate Setting, Mantle Setting, Boiler and Kettle Setting.

Everything done in connection with this branch of work. Leave your orders at 117 Government St.

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Announcement Extraordinary!

AND INTERESTING TO EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD IN THE PROVINCE.

Over 2000 Men's, Youths and Children's Suits now on exhibition at the Leading Clothing Store, 35 Johnson Street.

These are all new goods and, without doubt, the finest ever seen in Victoria; prices within the reach of all.

We have just opened about One Hundred Men's Suits, Scotch Tweeds, direct from Glasgow; price, $15.00; extra good value.

Our stock is now complete with the exception of the Children's Cotton Suits, which we expect to-morrow.

Boys' Tweed Caps and Helmets, 25c. each.

GILMORE :: & :: McCANDLESS,

Telephone Call 563. m28-1y **35 JOHNSON STREET.**

BEAUTIFUL JIM.

By JOHN STRANGE WINTER.

Continued.

CHAPTER V.

AND OF SHANGHAI.

It must be owned that the news of Polly Antrobus' engagement not only spread like wildfire throughout her native city of Blankhampton, but it also created a great sensation wherever it penetrated.

She was so pretty, so gentle and dreamy, and she had been so singularly unfortunate in her previous love affairs. Men had gone for her, ay, and had gone desperately hard too—men of high degree, with every thing to recommend them.

First, she had been engaged to the Honorable Eliot Cardella; but she had given him up that she might fly at higher game in the form of his elder brother. But after all, Lord Cardella had not laid himself and his title at her feet, though he had eventually bestowed them upon a far less worthy person.

Then there had been an unfortunate affair with one, D'Arcy was his name, if I mistake not, who did not happen to mention, when his regiment marched into Blankhampton, that his little wife had gone abroad for the winter. Of course it was very pleasant for a man deprived of his wife for the time to be philandering after one of the prettiest girls in the town; but it was a little unfortunate that Mrs. Antrobus announced the engagement in a semi-official manner, when there was all the time that insurmountable obstacle in the background.

And then there was Lord Charterhouse—the "Mr. Winks" of the Black Horse—who had gone for Polly, too—gone, ay, that was so; indeed, one over head and ears, past and beyond all sense and honor, and yet he had taken himself away from Blankhampton without a word of warning, and had married his cousin, Lady Nell Temple, after all.

Assuredly the love affairs of the delightful Polly had not so far been taken at that flood which leads to matrimonial fame and fortune, and from one cause or another the good people of Blankhampton took a sort of proprietary interest therein; they wanted to see the end of Polly.

Was this indeed to be the end of all her dreams and hopes and wishes? Was this to be the end of her great expectations?

It was hard, very hard. Three times she had deemed herself within an ace of being "my lady" for the rest of her life; three times had gay and gallant men of noble birth laid themselves down at her feet and—apparently—worshiped her. And this was to be the end!

She had borne with dignity and a certain suspicion of contempt the airs of her younger sister, To-To, who had married a well to do but briefless barrister of humble origin some time before, and she had made up her mind that when she should be Lady Charterhouse To-To's husband, Mr. Herrick Brentham, should have but little intercourse with her or hers. But, alas, alas! Lord Charterhouse had failed her, and had effectually cut off forever Mr. Herrick Brentham's chance of being on his visiting list—for the Lady Charterhouse of today would as soon have thought of asking her husband's troopers to dinner as of asking him.

There had been a certain awkwardness in the minds of both Lord Charterhouse and the Antrobus family as to the best course to pursue when the noble bride and groom returned from their honeymoon to take up their quarters at the Golden Swan. More than once "Mr. Winks" had hinted to his wife that he was sick and tired of the service, and would be best pleased if he turned his back upon it. More than once he really thought he should send in his papers.

But Lady Charterhouse was the same breezy, strong willed girl that she had been as Lady Nell Temple, and but little heed did she give to her lord and master's hints and deprecating efforts to get out of going back to Blankhampton. She had always had a strong fancy for trying what life in the service was like, and she had no idea of being, as she put it, "completely done out of it because Charterhouse chooses to have a fit of laziness."

Thus she carried the day, and they went to Blankhampton at the expiration of his leave, and took up their quarters at the Golden Swan.

It was very awkward for "Mr. Winks." He knew that he had behaved shamefully bad to Polly from first to last. He told himself—now that he was safely married to some one else—that fond as he was of Nell, and convenient as his marriage had been for family reasons, Polly was the one woman in the world who would have suited him personally down to the ground. He told himself that he had been a scoundrel, for he had made Polly fond of him, and so—from some sense of shame, or some feeling of delicacy—he never said a single word about her to his wife; but when he found that his feeble efforts to get out of the difficulty of meeting her by leaving the service had proved unavailing, he went back to Blankhampton and let matters take their own course.

On the other hand, Mrs. Antrobus simply did not know what to do. She never for one moment suspected that Lord Charterhouse had scrupulously avoided mentioning the name of Antrobus to his wife, and she felt that it was incumbent upon her to call upon Lady Charterhouse as soon as possible after her arrival in Blankhampton; but unfortunately Polly, with that desperate courage which even a sheep will show on certain occasions, absolutely and without any circumlocution whatever refused to go with her.

"But, Polly, we have been so intimate," she expostulated; "and what will it look like? What will people think?"

"I don't care what people think, mother," Polly replied; "it can be nobody's business but ours whether we choose to go or not. Any way, I am not going."

"But, Polly, dear"—— Mrs. Antrobus began, when Polly interrupted:

"I will not go, mother. Pray say no more about it."

"But it will look so odd," Mrs. Antrobus persisted. "We were so intimate."

"Well, mother, I don't wish to prevent you and my father from calling on Lady Charterhouse if you wish; only don't ask me to go. I could not do it. It would be most painful to me."

"You shouldn't have refused him then, my dear," remarked Mrs. Antrobus, airily, for with her it was a constant habit always to make the best of things, always to wear a mask if she wore one at all; and in this instance, as in many another, she spoke of Lord Charterhouse to Polly just as she insinuated certain things concerning him to the world.

It is a wise and brave habit, though to be sure it is neither lovable nor true, and Polly turned her soft and pretty eyes upon her with such an agony of reproach in their blue depths that her mother's mind went straightway back to a day, many months before, when Mrs. Trafford had told her of Lord Charterhouse's engagement to his cousin, when she, believing that he was in love with Polly, and that Polly would win him in the end, had kept the knowledge to herself, and had left Polly in the firm belief that his attentions to her pointed to but one end—the end which would take her to the altar in all the shimmer of satin and pearls, and make her "My Lady" forever.

Mrs. Antrobus was possessed of that very useful and convenient kind of heart which takes a good deal of touching, but that one reproachful look of Polly's went straight to it and pierced it through; for she remembered that if she had been open and honest with her favorite daughter, she would probably have been spared all the pain and humiliation which the affair with Lord Charterhouse had caused her.

"I wish you would not say that I refused him, mother," she said, with some dignity; and then she very softly went out of the room and walked upstairs to her bed chamber, where Mrs. Antrobus did not just then dare to follow her.

So Mrs. Antrobus was in a measure obliged to let the matter of calling or not calling upon Lady Charterhouse fall to the ground. She did not wish to go in such a way as to give her any other impression than that Polly had at some time or other refused her husband; she did not like to go without Polly, for that would have been pointed, and moreover, the name of "Miss Mary Antrobus" had its place upon her visiting card immediately below her own.

So, though she thought it over and over, looked at it from this point and that, studied it in every light, and twisted and twined the circumstances of the case in every possible direction, Mrs. Antrobus finally came to the conclusion that she had better leave the call unmade and take her cue from the way in which Lord Charterhouse should see fit to behave when they happened to meet, which, in so limited a circle as Blankhampton society, they were sooner or later sure to do.

However, before a meeting came about, the good people of Blankhampton were almost struck dumb with astonishment by the announcement of Polly Antrobus' engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Mandarin, of Thelston house, Liverpool, and of Shanghai.

[To be continued.]

True Learning.

The common, or public schools of America cat es excite the admiration of visitors from abroad, but the question of educating the masses is not by any means permanently settled. The failure of public schools to meet all needs and best develop natural ability is very plainly seen; but in what way to meet the difficulty is not easy to decide. Our system attempts too much. In many cases efficiency in memorizing is taken, or rather mistaken for learning.

Civil service examinations consist of parrot like answers to set questions that any clever fellow fresh from school can answer, and half the time, not understand them. Faithful veterans, to whom all the business of the departments is familiar, and who can transact and direct it with unerring skill, have to stand aside to let such "smartness" take precedence. Such an instance comes to mind in the person of a gentleman educated to the law and every way qualified, who had drifted into the postal service and became a veteran, raising a family in Washington. But he had no hope or further preferment because he was not just from college, with its cramming fresh for use. Yet he was far more competent for all the business to be transacted than the fellows who could give answers to the prescribed questions. Many a young man who is considered the pride of a school lives to become some sort of literary drudge, while the hard-working dullard of his class grows into sterling manhood and naturally reaches high position. One of the first class, here in Oregon, now a hard-working pedagogue, once responded, when some man of note was named, by saying: "We were school mates and I always was far ahead with my lessons. It was no work for me and he labored hard; but he knew what he learned and I forgot half of it. He is a senator in congress and I am what you see."

Many live to realize that the boys we led in school lead us in after life. "Cramming" is a mistake. Thousands who have a mere memory for learning a lesson by rote get little actual knowledge by it. It is not retained as it must be when the meaning is dug out by hard study. President Timothy Dwight, of Yale college, was one who had to dig for his lessons by the hardest endeavor. He took the valedictory but it was by the most determined effort. There were others of his class whose lessons came easily and who promised to be brilliant, but he left them all behind when the criterion became true learning and solid character. Many a lad who gives preternatural promise should be kept back and put to work on a farm a few years to gather strength and leave his mind time for natural growth.

Cramming in schools would not be so so unwise if it were always in the natural line of progress and native ability. Schools are not a failure so far as they develop native talents. Education should be practical, should develop the best ability of youth, as also the best line of labor, instead of running in the same rut, whether the wheels "track" or not. Our public schools are far from perfection, because they attempt too much and and accomplish too little. They spoil many for their true avocations and do not furnish mental caliber to excel in other lines.—*Oregonian.*

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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A BY-LAW

Respecting the Expenditure of the Municipal Revenue for the year 1889.

Whereas the Council hereinafter mentioned have caused an estimate to be prepared of the Municipal revenue for the year 1889, and of the expenditure required for the service of that year, a copy of which estimate is hereunto annexed.

And whereas it is expedient to authorise by by-law the expenditure of the said revenue in accordance with the said estimate, therefore, be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the said Council to appropriate and expend the Municipal Revenue of the said Corporation for the year 1889 for the several purposes and in the manner named or indicated in the estimate hereunto annexed or as nearly as circumstances permit.

2. All expenditure heretofore incurred by the Council out of the Municipal Revenue for the said year is hereby confirmed.

CORPORATION CITY OF VICTORIA.

ESTIMATED REVENUE 1889.

Real Estate Tax	$62,000 00	
Licenses	20,000 00	
Licenses, Liquor	15,000 00	
Road Tax	2,000 00	
Fire Insurance Tax	6,000 00	
Police Court Fines and Fees	3,000 00	
Cemetery Fees	2,000 00	
Pound	500 00	
Dog Tax	200 00	
Weighing Machine	250 00	
Sundries	250 00	
J. Gosnell	520 00	
T. Storey	113 90	
Russell's Guarantee Bond	2,000 00	
Cash on hand January 1, 1889	1,279 75	
Water Works	38,000 00	
		$153,212 75

CORPORATION CITY OF VICTORIA.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE 1889.

Interest on all loans		$ 22,985 00
Sinking funds		8,609 00
Eberts & Taylor		1,900 00
Drake, Jackson & Helmcken		75 00
Police:—		
Superintendent	$ 1,500 00	
Sergeant	1,080 00	
Constables	7,800 00	
Clothing	1,000 00	
Keep of prisoners	1,000 00	
Clerk of Court	480 00	
Police Magistrate	1,800 00	
Contingencies	1,340 00	
		16,200 00
Charges:—		
Treasurer	$ 2,000 00	
City Clerk	1,080 00	
Auditor	1,000 00	
Clerk	720 00	
Printing, Gas, Sundries, &c.	4,200 00	
		9,000 00
Street Lighting:—		
Estimated 12 months @ $690	$ 8,280 00	
Additions to plant, new masts, &c.	7,500 00	
Contingencies	1,000 00	
		16,780 00
Streets and Bridges:—		
Foreman	$ 900 00	
Teamster	780 00	
Keep of horses	600 00	
Sprinkling, five months	750 00	
Engineer Jumbo	960 00	
Various work	14,010 00	
		18,000 00
Fire Department:—		
Salaries	$ 5,760 00	
Keep of Horses	720 00	
Gas and Fuel	120 00	
Repairs to Engine	400 00	
Hydrants	1,000 00	
Hayes Truck	4,000 00	
Driver Hose Cart	550 00	
Shoeing	100 00	
Express and Extras	100 00	
Incidentals	750 00	
		14,500 00
Sidewalks:—		
Repairer	$ 780 00	
Various work	7,220 00	
		8,000 00
Surveying Expenses:—		
City Surveyor	$ 1,500 00	
Assistant	600 00	
Contingencies	150 00	
		2,250 00
Cemetery:—		
Keeper	$ 900 00	
Secretary	240 00	
Contingencies	500 00	
		1,610 00
Pound:—		
Keeper	$ 720 00	
Contingencies	80 00	
		800 00
Board of Health:—		
Medical Officer	$ 730 00	
Sanitary Officer	720 00	
Two men, say	1,200 00	
Contingencies	5,000 00	
		7,640 00
Library		1,200 00
General Interest		1,800 00
Commission on collections		500 00
Legal Advisers retaining fee		500 00
" " Fees, &c.		1,000 00
City Hall and office furniture		500 00
Donations		1,200 00
Water Works		10,000 00
Reserve		5,000 00
Park:—		
Keeper	$ 540 00	
Contingencies	2,000 00	
		2,540 00
		$153,419 00

Passed the Municipal Council the 7th day of February, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 12th day of March, A. D. 1889.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DAVID Green, Merchant, of the City of Victoria, has this day executed a deed of assignment to the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors.

All persons indebted to the said David Green are hereby notified to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said David Green are requested to send the same in, duly verified to the undersigned.

Dated at Victoria B. C. this 12th day of March, A. D. 1889. MORITZ STROUSS, Assignee for the Estate and Effects of David Green. mar12-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that sixty days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase twelve hundred and eighty acres of land, on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Island Group, described as follows: Commencing at the north-east corner of D. Freeman's claim, thence east 160 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement. Containing twelve hundred and eighty acres, more or less.

C. E. RENOUF,
JNO. NICHOLLES.

Victoria B. C., February 2nd 1889. fe8-2m

NOTICE.

HAVING DISPOSED OF ALL MY INTEREST in the Victoria Tailoring and Dyeing establishment to my Partner John T. Pierre I take this opportunity of thanking my patrons and the public generally for the liberal patronage so long received by me, respectfully soliciting for him a continuance of the same.

All outstanding accounts to date due in connection with the said firm will be payable to my successor, by whom all liabilities will also be paid.

March 1st, 1889. T. W. PIERRE. m4

NOTICE.

Estate of John Cuthbert, deceased.

ALL DEBTORS TO THE ESTATE ARE requested to pay their accounts, and all creditors of the estate to present their claims, forthwith, to Mrs. Cuthbert, the executrix of the will of the deceased, or to J. ROLAND HETT, Barrister-at-Law.

Victoria, January 22nd 1889. ja22tf

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ALL powers of attorney given by me, to any person in this Province have been revoked; and that no one in the Province has authority to act as attorney-in-fact for me.

J. BOSCOWITZ.

Dated, Victoria, January 22nd 1889. ja22tf

NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas Inge, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to present the same to THORNTON FELL, Solicitor for the Executors.

Victoria, 4th October, 1888. oct5tf

NOTICE.

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CAUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Pound By-law will be enforced with regard to Beacon Hill Park. By order W. J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., March 5th, 1889.

Estate of Heinrich Behrer, Deceased

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith and all persons having any claims against the estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to JAMES C. PREVOST, Administrator. fe11

HINKSON SIDDALL,

General Agent and Accountant,

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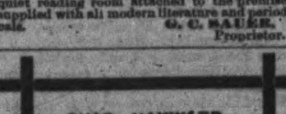

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Victoria, B. C., 18th February 1889.

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—On account of the dry winter the water in Beaver and Elk Lakes is 12 feet lower than usual.

—The lacrosse committee of the 24th of May celebration committee meet this afternoon at Dr. Quinlan's office.

—151 words per minute without an error has been written with the Remington Typewriter. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—The social and dance by the Society for the Investigation of Spiritualism will be given to-night. All are welcome.

—A. Provois, of Chilcoten, died suddenly on the 24th of February. He is understood to have relatives in Victoria.

—The Society for the Investigation of Spiritualism will hold one of their entertaining socials this evening in Harmony Hall.

—The Pianos made by Knabe & Co. carried off the highest award at the Centennial Exhibition. M. W. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—The congregation of St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal church, New Westminster contemplates building a new church.

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—The Nanaimo *Courier* asks: "Does Nanaimo intend to witness the celebration of the Queen's Birthday?" Certainly. The Nanaimoites will witness the grand celebration at Victoria.

—Calgary *Tribune*: New Westminster has an appropriation of $40,000 to be used in improving the insane asylum. This should be enough to enclose the whole city. That is what is required.

—The water was turned off last night in the city mains from 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock for the purpose of repairing a break on the Saanich road near the Royal Oak. T. Preece and a number of workmen attended to the break in a workmanlike manner.

—The contract for building a new theatre at Nanaimo was let on Tuesday to H. McA[illegible] of that city. Work will be commenced at once and the building will be completed on the 1st of July, on which date a company will be on hand to open the house.

—It is the intention of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to have a procession of draught horses on the 24th of May and to present the driver of the best kept team with a handsome present. This will be done with a view of encouraging drivers to take care of their horses.

—Hotels, restaurants and housekeepers will find the cheapest place in the province to buy furniture, tapestry, brussels, velvet and Mouquette carpets, crockery, glassware, &c., at J. Sehl's, Government street. Three carloads of the latest styles and patterns just arrived in addition to his well selected stock. Call and convince yourself. *

—The proposed ruin of all sugar men and interests by the introduction of "saccharin," the new chemical sweet, seems to have been postponed. Saccharin is over three hundred times as sweet as cutloaf sugar, but also four hundred times as expensive. It has the great advantage of being an antiferment and of being harmless to diabetic patients, but its present cost of production is a bulwark behind which the Sugar Trust still snickers.

SUPREME COURT.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J., and Justices Gray, McCreight and Walkem.)

Re Ellard's Trusts.—In this matter there was an appeal from certain orders made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, with respect to certain clauses in the will of the late Mr. James Ellard, whereof Robert Dickinson and George Turner were the original executors and trustees, which are necessarily of a very complicated nature. There was also a petition for leave to appeal against a certain order made by Judge Crease in August, 1887. It appeared the old trustees had duly passed their accounts and been discharged, and new trustees, Mr. T. Cunningham and Duncan appointed in their stead. As the other infant children were not named or represented by a guardian *ad litem*.

Mr. Davis, Q. C. asked for a postponement for that purpose. Mr. Pooley, Q. C., with whom was Mr. McColl, asked for costs of the day. Mr. Bole, Q. C., asked that whatever might be done with respect to the costs of the other parties, his clients, who had done no wrong, should not pay the costs out of their pockets, as this was a deliberate attempt to charge them with $5,103 73, which they had paid Mr. Harvey for board, as it was trifling with the matter to say that Mr. Harvey was the person liable. He was merely the servant of the trustees and, as he had already observed, this was a most indirect and unfair way of trying to litigate away the rights of two gentlemen who had received the highest praise from the court for the way in which they managed the estate.

The court awarded costs to the late executors. Mr. Drake, Q. C., Mr. Davie, Q C., for appellants; Mr. Pooley, Q. C., and Mr. McColl, for Mr. Harvey; Mr. Bole, Q. C, for late executors. The case stood over till next July court.

March 28, 1889.

Smith & Angus *vs.* Greer—Appealed—Mr. Justice Crease delivered the judgment of the Court, to the effect that, as the writ and statement of claim did not specify the land claimed, as required by the practice, the jury were not in a position to find, and did not find a verdict sufficiently describing the property sought to be recovered; and that in consequence there must be a new trial. Mr. Hett and Mr. Taylor for the appellant Greer, and Messrs. Drake & Co. for the respondents, Smith & Angus.

Turner *vs* Prevost, Power and others.—The Court held the sale of land made in this case to Mr. Power to be valid, that Turner had established no claim to it which could be legally upheld, and that the action as against Mr. Power should be dismissed with costs to be paid by plaintiff; that judgment should be entered for the plaintiff on the verdict of the jury for the amount of the stock, &c., on the land, if the parties could agree on the value, and if not, that a new trial as to this branch of the action should be had.

(Before Mr. Justice Gray and Mr. Justice Walkem.)

Spinks *vs.* C. P. N. Co.—This was an appeal from a decision by Mr. Justice McCreight, who had held that the defendants, as carriers by water could, by special contract, protect themselves against the statutory liabilities imposed upon them in respect of damage done to goods through negligence or carelessness on the part of their servants. Several delays in bringing the appeal had occurred, and it was considered that as a period of nine months had elapsed without any step to forward the appeal having been taken, such delay was inexcusable, and in the interest of suitors generally should not be countenanced or permitted. The appeal was consequently, following English precedent, dismissed with costs.

Marine News.

British bark George, from Moodyville, arrived at Shanghai on March 21st.

H. M. S. Swiftsure will arrive at Esquimalt on April 11th.

Bark General Fairchild sailed from San Diego on March 22nd for Departure Bay.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz will sail for northern ports to-morrow evening.

Steamer Sardonyx will leave for Naas River and way ports on Monday next.

Steamship City of Pueblo will leave for San Francisco on Saturday afternoon.

The Wedding Boom.

One of our local manufacturers is engaged in preparing four wedding cakes to be finished within a week. The boom continues in Victoria.

The Orphan's Funeral.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the funeral of Sarah Ellen Stegar took place from the Reformed Episcopal church. Friends of the young lady followed the remains to their last resting place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Blue Ribbon Club.

The following officers were elected at a recent meeting of the Blue Ribbon Club: Samuel Gray, president; Richard Roper, first vice-president; B. F. Atherton, second vice-president; Mrs. Atherton, secretary; C. T. Penwill, treasurer; Miss Berridge, choir leader.

Another Charge Preferred.

Frank McQuillon, who a few weeks ago was given a preliminary trial in Nanaimo on a charge of arson, and discharged, has been again arrested and was brought up before Justice Huff at Alberni to answer to the same charge. It is claimed that fresh evidence has been secured against him.

The Salmon Fisheries.

The ship W. Thayer departed from San Francisco for Alaska last Friday with stores and hands for the salmon canneries. The St. Paul sailed on Saturday with a similar cargo. The steamer Alki and a number of smaller craft will probably sail the first of the week. It is estimated that the salmon pack this season will be double that of last year.

Westminster Assessment Roll.

The New Westminster assessment roll will be completed on Saturday, and returned to the council on Monday. The value of assessable property will be in neighborhood of $3,000,000. It advanced from $800,000 since last assessment. If property keeps on advancing as rapidly as it has during the past six months the next assessment roll will foot up $5,000,000.

The Late Charles Judd.

On Monday a dispatch was sent to Vancouver from Seattle in the hopes of finding the mother of Charles Judd, the young man who was accidently drowned on Saturday. The telegraph operator at Vancouver reported that he could not find Mrs. Judd, though every effort was made to do so. Mr. Cross, the Seattle undertaker waited until 12 o'clock yesterday in the hope of getting an answer, and then buried the unfortunate young man in the potter's field.

Liquor License.

We have received information to the effect that the Hon. R. Dunsmuir, and G. Thomson, Esq., members for Nanaimo District in the Local House, in accordance with the request of the resolution of the Nanaimo Council, obtained the consent of Hon. Mr. Beaven to the introduction of a clause in the proposed Municipalities bill, giving the cities power to increase the price of retail liquor licenses from $100 up to $250 for every six months. This clause was incorporated in the bill and received the assent of the House as the measure passed through committee.—Nanaimo *Free Press*.

Funeral.

The mortal remains of the late Mary Jordan were interred this morning. The funeral took place at 8:30 o'clock from St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral, View street. The Sisters of St. Ann, with the generosity characteristic of their order, provided everything necessary to give the remains of the esteemed lady a proper Christian burial. A number of friends were in attendance to pay a last mark of respect to one whose declining age was spent in a noble effort to free her erring son. Her troubles are ended and the motherly love of the aged lady will be remembered by many in Victoria and New Westminster, where the deceased was respected by all who knew her during the past ten years.

A Fine Office.

Messrs Bourchier & Higgins, the well-known real estate firm, are fitting up an office in the *Colonist* building which is equal to any of the kind to be found in any city on the coast. One half of the first flat of the building is divided into a general business office, private office and lavatory, the two former well lighted and nicely carpeted and furnished and with a general air of business about them. A heavy oak railing has been run across the centre of the general office, outside of which maps and plans of all the properties handled by the firm can be seen and examined. In a few days the present windows will be replaced by a plate glass front, which will greatly add to the appearance of the office and the building. The main lights will be 11-10 x 5-6.

Unique Advertisements.

The dead walls of the city have been put to a good purpose by several eastern firms, and have become both ornamental and useful. Mr. Frank E. Munn, an artist with the brush, who has traveled all over the continent, has painted very attractive advertisements for S. Davis & Sons, D. Ritchie & Co., and Cook's Friend Baking Powder Company, in conspicuous letters and handsome colors, in many prominent places throughout the city. He has just completed a tour of the Dominion, and has left in every city and town from Halifax to Victoria artistic reminders of his visit. He don't believe in "painting a town red," but prefers to blend the brilliant colors he uses in such a manner that the most pleasing and harmonious effects are secured. While this system of reaching the public is probably more expensive and less effective than newspaper advertising, it is certainly the best of the kind ever attempted in this province.

An Old Time Commissiary.

Among the arrivals on the Islander we note Frank Bell of Vancouver, at present we believe in the draying business in that city, but better known as Onderdonk's chief of commissary department. Mr. Bell used to display great fortitude in this capacity. In the camps on the line there was always a chronic kicker or two, men who used to commence their meals by beginning with the pudding and pie. Every time Frank visited a camp he was made the recipient of the digestive and gastric troubles of these epicurean China herders, and listened to their appeals for more sugar with the consideration of a man who had come to regard saccharine matter as indispensible to railway building as giant powder. But Mr. Bell was never at a loss for an excuse. A sugar refinery had broken down, or the pack train was packing powder. It was supposed that Frank would break down under the load of so many diplomatic utterances, but he did not. He presents as fresh and as handsome an appearance to-day as he did on the Fraser eight years ago.

Look Out for Sharpers.

A well-dressed man entered Carne & Munsie's store last evening and asked for change of a $10 note. The gentlemanly storekeeper handed out the money and the stranger made an attempt to play the change racket. Mr. Munsie has been too long in business to be taken in by the smart man from Seattle. The fellow was ordered out of the store and notice was sent to Supt. Sheppard. The game is played in the following manner: The stranger asks for 10 cents worth of tobacco or a cigar. He places a $10 bill on the counter and receives back a $5 bill with $4 90 in silver. He puts the $5 bill in his pocket unnoticed by the storekeeper and leaves $4 90 in silver on the counter. He talks to the business man for a short time and asks for a bill in exchange for the silver, adding 10 cents to the amount on the counter. The storekeeper then takes another $5 bill from the till and leaves it on the counter with the $4 90 and the 10 cents. The stranger continues in conversation for some time and then asks for a $10 bill for the amount on the counter. The money is exchanged and the stranger has $5 belonging to the storekeeper.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

Proceedings in the House of Assembly Yesterday and To-Day.

Wednesday March 27.

Hon. Mr. Robson moved the second reading of the Royal Columbian Hospital bill, which he explained was for the purpose of enabling the trustees to sell the old property at New Westminster.

Mr. Orr—Is it the intention to build on the lots reserved by the Imperial Government?

Hon. Mr. Robson—I believe it is.

TRESPASS.

Mr. Tolmie moved the second reading of the Trespass bill, which he said had been modified by a select committee. He explained that trespassers were accustomed to pull down fences, open gates, let out stock and cause great inconvenience. Valuable animals, he also explained, had often been shot by trespassers.

Hon. Mr. Beaven pointed out that the same absurdity existed in this bill as the previous one. It provided that no one should have a right to trespass on property which was enclosed by a natural boundary. As he pointed out before all Vancouver Island and the islands adjacent thereto were surrounded by a natural boundary, and therefore enclosed, and anyone going on them was liable to prosecution.

Hon. Mr. Robson—A great deal that has been said about natural boundaries is so much bosh. Where a farm has a river on one side with the fences running down to it as often is the case, is not that a very definite and sufficiently enclosed boundary?

Mr. Grant—The sophistry of the provincial secretary frequently leads people astray. Take his own definition of a natural boundary, a river. A man going along a river in a canoe would not be able under this act to go on shore and make himself a cup of tea without being liable to be ordered off, and if he did not go, to be arrested.

Hon. Mr. Robson—No one would do a thing like that.

Mr. Grant—That is not for us to say. Our duty is to make these things impossible and under a clause of this bill it would be possible. One clause at least should be struck out, but I would say when damage is done let it be paid for.

Mr. Turner knew of gardens where water was one of the enclosures to them. No one would say that because a garden was enclosed on one side by water that anyone should have the right to go on it.

Mr. Fry drew a sorry picture of the destruction done by city trespassers in his district.

Bill passed the second reading and through committee.

KOOTENAY RAILWAY.

The Kootenay Railway Bill was read a third time.

A message was read by Mr. Speaker from His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, recommending a grant of land to to the Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company.

HOMEOPATHIC.

On motion for the third reading of the Medicine and Surgery Bill, Mr. Humphreys moved the previous question.

Mr. Davie said the motion was not seconded. He desired to move an amendment.

Hon. Mr. Humphries—A motion of the previous question does not require a seconder.

Mr. Speaker ruled the point well taken and the motion was put and carried.

Mr. Davie then attempted to move his amendment but Mr. Humphreys claimed it was inadmissable, as he re moved the the previous question.

Mr. Davie persisted but Mr. Speaker decided to take time to consider the the point. The debate was adjourned.

VANCOUVER AMENDMENT.

On motion to read the Vancouver Amendment bill a first time, Mr. Davie said as the usual course was not being followed care should be taken that there was no interference with private interests in the bill. There was one harmless looking clause in it relating to water rates which if passed, he was informed, would be a direct interference with private interests.

ADVANCED A STAGE.

The Attorney-General's license bill was read a third time and passed.

The official map act of Victoria was read a third time and passed.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.

Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir asked why there was no report from the Public Committee yet this session. He felt very much interested in knowing whether the committee found everything right or not.

Mr. Grant said surely the honorable gentleman had forgotten something. He was in the House when the leader of the opposition and "your humble servant" called attention to the fact that the committee had never been called together by the chairman.

Mr. T. Davie said he knew of nothing wrong in the public accounts (laughter from the government benches) and he supposed that the members of the opposition who were on it knew of nothing either as they had never said anything about calling the committee together. He would have called the committee together if they had had anything to examine, but the discoveries made in previous years had all turned out to be mare's nests and this year they did not pretend to have a mare's nest itself.

Hon. Mr. Beaven—It will be remembered that I called attention to the fact that the committee had not been called together some time ago. The member for Cassiar did the same thing at another stage. I also moved a formal motion, of which I gave two days notice, that the honorable member for Victoria city should be struck off the committee, but the House would not allow it. Now, I think the opposition has done its duty. It was the duty of the member for Victoria city as chairman to call the committee together.

Hon. Mr. Robson—He is not chairman. He would be merely convener.

Hon. Mr. Beaven—Well, call him convener. He should as convener have convened the committee. So far as I am concerned I must confess that I feel very luke-warm over the matter and I must confess also that as much as I regret to say it, that I believe if it were proven beyond contradiction, that the Government were actually defaulters, that this House would be prepared to whitewash them. So far as the mare's nests referred to by the member for Victoria city, are concerned, it is well known that although it was pointed out last year that the statutes had been violated and money had been paid out unlawfully and improperly (and moneys are still being paid out unlawfully to this day), and although any taxpayer could take them into court and collect the full amount, yet this House whitewashed them and approved the whole proceeding.

Hon. Mr. Robson—It is not proper to reflect on the votes of this House.

Mr. Speaker—It is not; I was about to call the hon. gentleman's attention to it.

Hon. Mr. Beaven—Well, if you do not like the term "whitewash," what one do you prefer? The committee who examined the books said money was paid out unlawfully. The House who had never seen them said they (the Government) had not done so. Now what do you call that? If any better term can be found I will be glad to use it.

The subject was here dropped the Government failing to reply.

ADVANCED A STAGE.

The New Westminster Incorporation Amendment bill was read a third time and passed.

The Quartz Mines Aid Amendment bill was read a third time and passed.

The Anglican Synod bill was read a third time and passed.

The order for the second reading of the conditional sales was discharged.

The second reading of the Pharmacy bill was defeated by a vote of seven to five.

LIBEL.

Mr. Higgins moved the second reading of the libel bill, the provisions of which have been published. The mover said there was great insecurity felt among the fraternity in the province and the usefulness of the press was greatly impaired. He hoped the bill would be supported.

Mr. Speaker—Are you ready for the question.

Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir—No I'm not. Move the adjournment of the debate.

House adjourned till 2 p. m. on Thursday.

Thursday March 28.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2 p. m. Prayer by the Rev. A. Beanlands.

REPORTS.

Mr. Fry, chairman of the select committee appointed to inquire into matters in connection with section 11, range 2, Cowichan district reported. The committee found that the land had been properly pre-empted and a crown grant obtained by Mr. Dodd. The committee found that the Indians had never relinquished their claim to the land and were of opinion that trouble would be caused if it were taken away from them. The committee therefore recommended that the property be acquired by the Dominion Government as part of the Indian reserve.

CATTLE AT LARGE.

Mr. Tolmie introduced a bill to prevent cattle from running at large in the city of Victoria.

SUPPLY.

House went into committee of supply and reported a bill to the House granting $864,431.05 to defray the expenses of Government during the year 1889 90.

Bill read a first time.

INCORPORATION.

In the absence of Mr. Bole, Mr. Orr moved the second reading of the Vancouver Incorporation Act amendment Bill.

TOWNSITE OF FARWELL.

Mr. Orr asked the Hon. the Attorney General: Has the ownership of the townsite of Farwell (otherwise known as Revelstoke) been finally decided, and, if not, what is the intention of the Government respecting the same?

Ans.—The report of the Supreme Court of Canada show that the decision of that court in the case of the Queen *vs.* Farwell was in favor of the Dominion. The province was not a party to the suit. The provincial government has no further knowledge in the premises.

LAND SUBSIDY.

The Kootenay Railway Subsidy bill was read a first time.

Col. Baker—I think the bill might be read a second time and pushed through to-day.

Mr. Speaker—If no one objects.

Mr. Higgins—I object to the bill going through to-day.

Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir—The member for Esquimalt is as obstinate as sin.

PRIVILEGE.

The provincial secretary, to a question of privilege, complained of a report of his remarks in the *Colonist*.

MINERAL BILL.

Mr. Cowan moved the second reading of his Mineral bill, explaining that it was based on recommendations of the mining committee and dealt with the intestate estates of deceased miners, and other matters.

Mr. Grant spoke in favor of the bill.

Bill read a second time.

ADVANCED A STAGE.

National Electric Tramway bill was read third time and passed.

Trespass bill read a third time and passed.

House went into committee on the Western Central railway bill.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Clarence W. Moberly, late chief engineer of the Northern Railway of Canada, and largely interested in coal mines in the Northwest is in the city. Mr. Moberly, with his partner, Mr. Isbister, is engaged in opening up coal mines in Kootenay district, and is one of the most energetic of Canadians. There is room for such men as Mr. Moberly in British Columbia. He leaves for San Francisco on next steamer and will return in week or so, remaining in Victoria for a portion of the summer.

J. C. Stair, electrician at the station of the Victoria Electric Illuminating Company, resigned to-day the position of manager of the Nanaimo telephone office.

Mrs. Sampson, the spiritualistic medium, left for Kamloops this morning. She will extend her visit to Ottawa and Montreal.

W. D. Ferris, J. P., arrived in this city last evening from New Westminster.

J. K. Suter, of the *Mainland Guardian* arrived last night on the steamer Islander.

W. J. Pendray returned from Puget Sound last evening on the steamer North Pacific.

J. W. Casey, Traveling agent of the Milwaukee and St. Paul railway, arrived from the Sound on last night's steamer.

H. L. Galline left for Seattle this morning.

Miss Gardiner, Mrs. Christie and Mrs. Trew returned to Nanaimo on yesterday's train.

Mr. and Mrs. Trounce will return to this city about the middle of May. Mr. Trounce is much improved in health.

ROYAL HOSPITAL.

Annual Meeting of the Subscribers Held This Afternoon.

The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Royal Hospital was held this afternoon in the City Hall. In the absence of Mayor Grant, Mr. Joshua Davies, President, was elected to act as Chairman.

The annual report of the Directors was read. In presenting the report the Directors state that the institution has been working in a most satisfactory manner at the reduced expenditure of $235.58, and had not the enhanced price of coal occurred the expenditure would have been considerably less.

Mr. F. W. Garland, the steward, and his wife continue to give the utmost satisfaction to the directors and the inmates, owing to the efficient manner in which they perform their respective duties and their untiring efforts to promote the comfort and welfare of all those under their care. The directors regret having to report the death of their valued president and co-director, Alex. McLean. Mr. Joshua Davies was unanimously elected to be his successor for the remainder of the term. The report which was very lengthy was read and adopted.

The report of the Hon. Treasurer, W. M. Chudley and the Hon. Secretary, J. Stuart Yates, were read and adopted.

The Visiting Physician's report was also read.

The following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Joshua Davies, James Stuart Yates, Alex. Wilson, E. A. McQuade.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. C. G. Wylly for his kindness in auditing the accounts.

On motion of Mr. Alex. Wilson, the present officers were elected for the ensuing year, namely: Joshua Davies, President; J. S. Yates, Hon Secretary; W. M. Chudley, Hon. Treasurer.

The directors held a meeting at the conclusion of the subscribers' meeting and decided to call for tenders for meat, vegetables and other supplies, to be awarded on the first Monday in April.

Art Notice.

G. W. Bigger will enlarge small pictures of any kind, or the most difficult one you have to work from, and give you a nice portrait handsomely framed and delivered all O. K. Your choice of eight different works, oil included, porcelain, steel engraving and water colors, Indian ink, pastel and crayon that will excel any ever seen in the country. Your portrait sent C. O. D. to any part of the United States or Canada. Send your photos or tintype to 86 Government street, Victoria.

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Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—C F J Jones, J P Drew, C A Mills, W D Ferris sr, D Tye, F Ledingham, F Bell, J A Clark, H Kerr, A Lockhart, R C Anderson, Miss Andrich, Miss Talor, A Maybee, F Campbell, Thos Lacey, G N McAbee, Mrs Schwenger, W F Hall, C O Terry, R Vera, T Taylor, W B Gibson, H Capes, Mrs W D Ferris, A Mills, Hattie Spaulding, J B James, T W Soales, Jno Patton, Capt Ramsay, F Bell, T Chambers, F Granville, C R Davis, A T Tripp, F Landsberg, G Legg, R Collister, J B Suter, C B Lockhart, T Hawkins, T C Charters, H J Beckett.

Per Str. North Pacific, from Puget Sound—Mrs Cooper, F M Malone, Mrs Helliwell, W Baggs and wife, S Davick, A J Ratcliff, J S Morgan, M Hendrich, Mrs Kuhn, Miss Kuhn, L Haskell, S Migord, A Pollock, W Mackenzie, R Hanington, Geo West, T Rosse, O R Smart, G Carter, C Butler, G Buckingham, J McDonald, D McCauley, Mrs Goddard, W J Pendray, J C Larsen, G W Poor, E Fale, J W Casey, H Fulsen and wife, Capt Engalhardt, Mrs Downs and daughter.

Consignees.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—T B Pearson: A B Erskine, W S Chandler, H Mansell, Argyle House, Brown and W, E B Marvin, H Bay Co, J H Todd, J P Daynes, J C Devlin, J Hutcheson, J Colbert, J Weiler, Lenz and Leiser, Leask and Jackson, M W Waitt, Nicholles and R, R Lattice, Shears and Page, Welch Rithet and Co, W Jackson, R McD and Co, J Lemesurier and Son, T N Hibben, J Sehl, Geo Powell, E G Prior, Puget Sound Pub Co, Dom Exp Co.

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MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Clerk's office up to Wednesday, the 3rd of April, proximo, for

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Only the tenders of those holding Contractor's licenses will be acceptable.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the City Surveyor's office.

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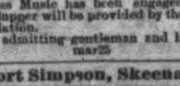

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THE B. C. ASSOCIATION FOR THE Investigation of Spiritualism will hold their Anniversary Social and Dance on **Thursday Evening, March 28th, at Harmony Hall.** A good programme has been arranged. First class Music has been engaged for the dance. Supper will be provided by the ladies of the association.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to noon, 6th April, for the erection of a two-story frame residence, facing Yates Street near the Public Schools.

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BETWEEN
JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
AND
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Provost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

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D. W. MORROW, Secretary.

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